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Customer No. 22,852
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
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Marc ALIZON et al.) Group Art Unit: 1634
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Application No.: 07/158,652) Examiner: Jeffrey Norman Fredman
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Filed: February 22, 1988)
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For: CLONED DNA SEQUENCE RELATED TO THE GENOMIC RNA OF HUMAN
IMMUNODEFICIENCY VIRUS TYPE 1 (HIV-1)

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

REQUEST FOR EXAMINATION AFTER FINAL UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.129(a)

Applicants hereby request the above-identified application be examined according to the procedures set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.129(a). This application meets the criteria set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.129(a) since it has an actual filing date of February 22, 1988, and it is accompanied by a fee of \$770.00 as required by § 1.17(r).

Applicants hereby request that the finality of the Office Action be withdrawn and that the Amendment filed August 1, 2003 (with four exhibits), and the following amendments and remarks be entered and considered by the Examiner. Please amend this application as follows.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper.

Remarks begin on page 12 of this paper.

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